



Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

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Tom Craig, President Orthopedic Surgical Manufacturers Association 1962 Deep valley Crove Germantown, TN 38138

Dear Mr. Craig:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to reclassify Constrained Hip Prosthesis Metal/Polymer was received by this office on 06/09/99. It was assigned docket number 99P-1864/CCP 1 and it was filed on 06/09/99. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Øennie C. Butler

Dockets Management Branch

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